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Satellite business lost in Sunday blaze

A fire of undetermined origin has destroyed a home and business office on Highway 35 south of Minden.

The home of Dick Hope and Heather Grant fell victim to flames early Sunday afternoon. Attached to the residence was their business R. Hope Satellite TV. (It was the former location of Hans Electronics).

The couple had just left last week for a holiday in the south.

The Minden Fire Department responded to a call shortly after noon on Sunday and arrived to find the south end of the building aflame. Using water from the tanker truck, they felt they had brought the fire under



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School prayer to be silenced

They don't want to, but Haliburton's education trustees will go along with the Ministry of Education's new policy on opening exercises at the schools.

"We have to follow the law of the land even though it goes against the grain personally," trustee Tim Casey said at last Tuesday's meeting of the Haliburton County Board of Education. The board will continue to fight for the return of the Lord's Prayer, though, and will send a "strongly worded letter" to the ministry.

New ministry policy dictates that opening or closing exercises at all public schools will include the national anthem. Religious readings are permitted as long as they are representative of the multicultural nature of the province. In other words, all religions must get equal time.

In recent weeks, the board has been overwhelmed by the public outcry. Petitions with 463 names have been presented, asking the board not to accept the ministry's ruling.

It was not an easy decision for the board to abide by the new policy. Trustees debated the issue for 45 minutes—unanimous in their opposition to the policy but divided on how to deal with it.

"I hope the public doesn't read this as a cop out," trustee Linda Mumford said. "We will continue to fight for a change."

It was plain to see that all trustees were frustrated by this ruling. Trustee Cheryl Murdoch said the policy was created to solve problems in Toronto schools. This is another example of small school boards being forced to "knuckle under to what the bigger boards want."

"It's not an issue here," she said. "It's a problem in the big boards. It creates problems for our situation so we can supposedly solve theirs."

Fierce competition for Highland Games

Let the Games begin.

The first Haliburton Highland Games are still on the drawing board, but already there is fierce competition in the true tradition of these games.

The competition has nothing to do with throwing hammers or tossing cabers. Instead, the games have the various communities locked in battle to see which will be chosen to host the June 24 event.

The idea of having Scottish style Highland Games in Haliburton County has been kicked around for years and now the Chamber of Commerce has decided to bring it to life for the first time this summer. However, they first have to decide where it should be held—not an easy decision when everybody wants it in their own back yard.

In a bit of a heated debate last Thursday night, Anson, Hindon and Minden Council settled on a dollar figure that it would be willing to

donate in order to bring the games here. Council agreed to absorb the cost of facilities for up to a maximum of \$1,000.

If that sounds generous, take a look at what Dysart Council is offering to bring the games to Haliburton. In addition to providing facilities at no cost, word has it that they are offering a \$5,000 grant for the first year in order to lure the Chamber into planting this event in Glebe Park.

Dysart Reeve Murray Fearry "is going to give the Highland Games all they want plus a \$5,000 seed grant to get it going." Minden Reeve Ray Moore argued during the council meeting.

Moore believes the Games will grow into a tremendous attraction, drawing 5,000 to 6,000 people to the area. With the expansive fair grounds adjacent to the arena, community centre and curling club, he feels Minden is best suited to host this event.

His fellow council members agree. However, they are not as anxious as Dysart Council to sink money into it. And this is where the argument started during last Thursday's meeting.

Deputy Reeve Bern Berry and Councillors Bob Sisson and Mike Maher were arguing in favour of a \$1,000 ceiling on the townships' commitment to the games. Reeve Moore and councillor Lewis Stevens argued that stipulating a dollar figure would make the municipality appear less than enthusiastic about the Games.

"There's no question that we want them," said Berry. "It's just a question of at what cost do we want them." The resolution being tabled required only that the township absorb the fees for the rental of the facilities. Berry wanted to know exactly how much money that would involve, and said he was not prepared to vote in favour of this resolution until he had all the information.

The Chamber needs an immediate answer, though, Moore argued. "If we're going to run a town where we can't respond to people, we've got a problem." He said this is the same reason that Minden lost out on the chance of hosting the circus the chamber is bringing to the Highlands this summer. (The circus, which will also be an annual event will be held in Stanhope Township)

"Everything is a push on this," Councillor Stevens added. "We can't tell these people 'yeah, you come back when we're ready to see you.'"

In spite of all arguments, Berry, Sisson and Maher refused to vote for a resolution without a stated maximum commitment.

By press time Friday, the Chamber had not yet decided which community would be chosen to host these games. A committee was to have been taken on a tour of the Minden arena and fair grounds that morning.

around the county town

by Jeanne Sears. Call 286-1538.

Eleanor and Frank Addison of Scarborough were recent guests with Aunt Joyce Hewitt and other relatives.

were pleased to attend the induction of Father George Elliott at All Saint's, King City (his new parish).

Some members of St. Paul's Anglican Church Betty and Gerald Hicks of Oshawa spent last week

A tribute to Jeanne

This is to wish my Mom—Jeanne Sears—a happy birthday. She is 70 years young and, in my mind, a wonderful person, caring and giving.

I read The Times every week, and I might add, Mom does a great job as a reporter, telling the news from her friends, neighbours and community. I enjoy "Jay", her pen name and wonder how many readers know it is her.

I can remember when I was in public school—that was 30 to 35 years ago—Mom coming to class to show us how to knit, crochet and many other things. So you can see this (her helpfulness) has been going on for years.

Mom has been a worker and participant at the public library for years and, like I said before, she was there when I was a child holding a membership card.

Over the years, the library had films and readings for the children of the community as well as summer get-togethers and Mom was there to help.

Mom is a lifetime member of the Women's Institute and still reports for them in The Times.

Mom attends card parties, visits with the old folks at the home, and supports bingo along with her friends every week. I am really surprised that no one has thought to honour this lovely lady, and I'm not just saying this because she's my Mom.

She participates in most community functions and is always there to give a helping hand whenever and wherever she can.

Caring and giving of herself to her family, friends and community is how we describe her.

So you see, this is a tribute to you, Mom, with our gratitude even if others have forgotten.

Your loving daughter
Carolynn

Light breeze fans the flames

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control, when the water supply of water ran out. While the tanker was being re-filled, the flames gained an upper hand again, and a southerly breeze sprang up increasing the spread of the fire. The flames event-

ually engulfed the entire home and office.

No cause for the blaze had been determined at press time, nor has an estimate of the loss been determined.

Firefighters and volunteers were able to rescue some property from the burning structure.



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at their home in our area.

Grandchildren of the late Elmer Sawyer have now returned home after attending his funeral. Paul and Tanya Yearwood of Sudbury, Colleen and son Gordon of Mississauga, Kirk Hewitt of Pickering, Kim Hewitt of Oshawa, Dale and Janet Sawyer of Oakwood, Jack and Darla Kennedy of Little Britain, Ken and Jane Walker of Kirkfield as well as family of Reg Sawyer of Oshawa.

I was pleased to attend the Dinner Meeting of the Agricultural Society and certainly it was great at Pine Ridge Resort; the draw for a free dinner at the Beef Barbeque in June was won by Pearl Cowen. How lucky can you get.

Winner in the Lions Club Hockey Pool on January 24th were Don Joyat, Colin Wilson, Jo Crawford, Peter Dollo and S. Morrison. To date this season 24 winners in the Minden area have shared in \$600 in prize money.

A team of Kim Hewitt and Ed Guerton from Branch 636 Legion Minden attended the Legion Pool tournament at Bobcaygeon and came home with the first trophy for this branch. They go on to Peterborough for the next round and congratulations and good luck to them.

Paul Davidson of Thornbury spent last weekend with Lilian and George Davidson on the occasion of the latter's birthday.

Winner at Club 35's euchre games held January 23 were - 50 - 50 - Rob Evans, most lone hands - Sharon Evans, high lady -

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Eleanor Bunker, high man - Olive(r) Jones and others - Ruth Gregory, Olive(r) Daniels and Verna McDonald.

Sincere sympathy goes to the families and friends of the late Leslie Prentice and Amelia Good whose funerals were since last week.

Miss Amy Hughes from Mississauga spent last week visiting with grandparents Bertha and Bob Hughes and other relatives.

At the Tuesday night Euchres at Lochlin Centre, winners were Bruce O'Brien, Bob Vick, Gladys Reid, May Hicks and Audrey Vick and next games there are February 7th.

There are several new arrivals - a son for the Alan Northeys and also a son for the Joe Grahams with congrats to parents and

grandparents.

We enjoyed the 'Meet to Skate' competition last year, and there will be the second annual Skate competition at the Arena on February 3, 4 & 7, for further information call 286-3474. St. Paul's Anglican Pancake supper is February 7 from 5-7 and - too bad - Horticultural Annual Pot Luck Supper also Tuesday, February 7 at 6:30 at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church Hall. Also on February 11th is Rotary Club Snow-a-rama for Easter Seals. Call 286-1532 or 286-2143. Also every Tuesday night is weekly dabber Bingo at our Arena by Rotary Club. I shouldn't mention that, as they won't let me win!!

Man lives somehow in outer space
And undersea, we've seen.
The problem
Now is mainly how
To make it in between.

Jules Gilden

Clarke Simpson of Kinmount Motors received a gold plaque and gold pin from Peterborough for 40 years service. Congrats to him.

On the sick list are Don mintz, Ruby Francis, Paul O'Brien, Eric Lewis and Scott Milburn.

Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of the late Olive Ward who passed away since last week.

Congratulations to Lorna and Willard Bridgman on the arrival of their new granddaughter.

Winners at this week's St. Paul's card party were: high lady - Gladys Wruth, low lady - Jeanne Sears, high man - Willard Bridgman, low man - Jack Weekes and lone hands - Marg MacAfee.

kid's korner

by Jean Lacey

Hi Kids!

Here is another puzzle for you with a word list. Look in the diagram of letters for the words given in the list. Find them by reading up, down forward, backward and diagonally.

They are all in a straight line and do not skip letters. Circle the words in the diagram and cross it off the list.

It's as easy as that. Have fun!

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Q: What school did Sir Lancelot go to?

A: His heart wasn't in it.

A: Knight school.

Q: What school do you have to drop out of to graduate?

A: Parachute school.

Q: Why do werewolves do well in school?

A: They give snappy answers.

Q: Why didn't the skeleton want to go to school?

A: Hi! school.

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Trustee tires of late meetings

Meetings that carry on for hours past midnight will be a thing of the past if Dorset trustee Ed deGrosbois has his way.

de Grosbois walked out on last Tuesday's board meeting about 45 minutes before it was adjourned. It was midnight when he left.

Earlier in the meeting, de Grosbois complained about the meetings carrying on too late. He questioned the effec-

tiveness of a tired board working on a packed agenda late at night. The previous meeting had lasted until 1:10 a.m., he said, and this meeting had the potential of going that late.

de Grosbois noted that once the meeting is adjourned, he still has a one-hour drive to get home to Dorset.

"These are supposed to be the two shortest meetings of the year," he said. He was asking the board to consider

meeting twice a month or to have afternoon meetings rather than the traditional evening meetings.

Other board members were not prepared to deal with this request. They asked that it be raised again at the next meeting.

Board meetings normally begin at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of every month. In order to carry on past 11:30 p.m. the majority of trustees must

agree in a vote.

At last Tuesday's meeting, discussion on opening exercises at the schools began just before 11:30 p.m. and continued until midnight, delaying the vote until that time.

However, de Grosbois did not stick around for the vote to allow the meeting to carry on. As soon as the morning exercises debate closed he left.

Minden will soon have its own facilities for recycling waste

Minden will soon have a recycling bin similar to the one recently located at the Haliburton Landfill site.

Townships Councillor Bob Sisson reported back to council last Thursday that Muskoka Containerized Services has agreed to set a bin at the Scotch Line Landfill site as soon as one is available. There will be a monthly rental fee of \$100 as well as a \$150 fee to have the bin replaced when it is filled.

"I personally feel we have to make a step and this is

one way of doing it," Sisson said. He was asked to look into the possibility of securing a bin at a previous meeting and was reporting back on his success.

The timing of Sisson's announcement could not have been better. A group of students from Archie Stouffer Elementary School had just concluded a presentation to council about how they are recycling aluminum and tin cans at the school. The students pleaded with council to have a bin located here.

Deputy Reeve Bern Berry congratulated the students for their efforts and encouraged them to keep it up. He said recycling is just one method of reducing the amount of household waste dumped at the landfill sites. Close to 60 per cent of that waste can be eliminated by composting it.

The students have been recycling their tin cans from the start of the school year and storing them in their teacher's barn until a recycling depot could be set up

here. They have also created a compost pile in an old sandbox on the school playgrounds.

No date has been set for the bin to be placed at Minden's landfill site. Roads Superintendent Clayton Cameron said the bin has to be built first.

Utilizing the services of MCS is one way of recycling, but council is still open to any offers from local companies. "We'd like to keep it local if possible and would welcome inquiries," Berry said.

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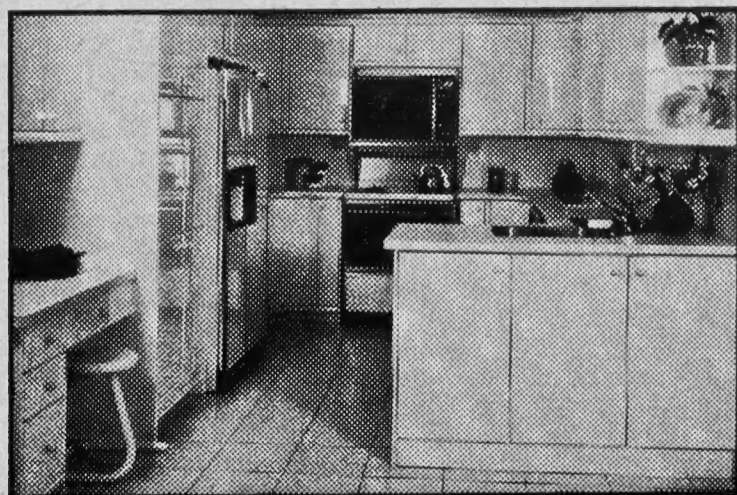
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editorial Night owls

Trustees on the Haliburton County Board of Education are to be commended for their willingness to work until the wee hours of the morning in order to get through their workload. However, some valid concerns have been raised by one trustee that deserve attention.

Dorset Trustee Ed de Grosbois argues that board business does not get the attention it deserves when it comes at the end of a long agenda. These items are addressed hastily by tired trustees. He wisely argues in favour of having two meetings a month whenever there is a great deal of business on the agenda.

There are other concerns that should be taken into consideration when the board addresses de Grosbois' concerns at the next meeting. In order that County residents can be informed of what our board of education is doing, the meetings are open to the public. By allowing meetings to carry on past midnight—especially on a Tuesday night when most people have to work the next morning—the board is discouraging anyone from sitting in on the meetings.

As usual, at last Tuesday's meeting there was a group of teachers in the audience. We're sure the board appreciates their interest in these meetings and would try to encourage them to continue attending.

We hope the trustees noticed that most of the teachers left the meeting long before it was adjourned. Their interest in the meeting had to take a back seat to the importance of their jobs. They have to be rested in order to teach school in the morning and can't afford to sit up until 1 a.m. at a board meeting.

The board does have a rule that meetings can not carry on past 11:30 p.m. without a vote by trustees. This rule is designed to give them the flexibility of occasionally extending a meeting to deal with items that should not be postponed.

Unfortunately, the 11:30 vote is becoming a mere formality. There is a quick show of hands and the meeting carries on until the agenda is complete.

*TRAINING FOR THE
HIGHLAND GAMES*

Now this is a real sticky situation

The investigating officer thought there was something awfully curious about Derek Ryan's body language. There was the Manchester shopkeeper, screaming at the top of his lungs that he'd just been robbed, but leaning casually forward, both hands on his own counter, just like Mister Hall in those TV lottery ads.

"Would you care to sit down and tell me exactly what happened?" asked the constable.

"I can't sit down!" fulminated Mister Ryan.

"Why would that be, sir?" inquired the constable gently.

"Because my hands are bloody well stuck to the

black 'n white

by Arthur Black

counter!" said Ryan.

They were too. Minutes earlier, a crook had run into Ryan's shop with a pistol in one hand and a tube of something gooey in the other. He splooned the goo all over the counter then motioned the terrified Ryan towards it. "Stick your hands in that!" ordered the gunman. Mister Ryan did, and found

himself up to his fingerprints in superglue. Nothing to do but stand by helplessly and watch the crook clean out the register. Mister Ryan had to stay in that position until a hospital nurse showed up with a special solvent to dissolve the glue. By that time two hours had passed and the crook was long gone, hard at work spending the \$1,500 he'd scooped from the till.

Have to award the crook points for ingenuity, I guess—using a space-age invention to practice one of the world's most venerable professions: petty

opinion

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Clock tower deserves support

Editor:

Your editorial comment re appeals to municipal councils for donations to various groups shows a commendable concern for the taxpayer's funds.

However it displays a lamentable lack of research on the part of the writer of the editorial.

One must agree that a policy is in order to protect the municipal governments from being used as a milk cow to finance all comers.

We do not feel that a request for a donation to the Staunworth Memorial Clock Fund is unreasonable and offer the following facts in support of that statement.

(1) While the assessment on the new apartment building has not been carried out, it can be reasonably estimated that the annual taxes paid to the municipality of Anson, Hindon and Minden by Staunworth Non-Profit Housing Corporation on the two apartment build-

ings will be in excess of \$12,000 plus water and sewage rates.

(2) Staunworth Non-Profit Housing paid the municipality \$20,000 for the land on which Staunworth Terrace is being built.

I mention these facts Mr. Editor to ease your concern that the request for a donation to the Memorial Clock Fund is a something for nothing deal as far as the taxpayer is concerned.

In closing, Mr. Editor,

may I remind you that seniors residing in Staunworth Court and the soon to be opened Staunworth Terrace make a substantial contribution to the local economy.

May I also, through you Mr. Editor, thank the publisher of The Times for the donation of advertising space to the Clock Fund Committee.

Alex Stevenson,
Chairman,
Staunworth Memorial
Clock Committee.

Education will improve when teachers receive recognition

Editor:

Parents have suggested that the best way to improve education in this country is to give teachers the status, support and recognition they so genuinely deserve. The Haliburton Home and School Association agrees.

We are joining together with others in The Canadian

Home and School and Parent-Teacher Federation to help everyone realize all of the outstanding work being done by our school teachers. Their work is the foundation of this country, for without them how would we educate our scientists, artists, political leaders, and all the others who make this country one

of the best in the world?

February 13 to 17 is Canadian Home and School and Parent-Teacher Federation's Teacher Appreciation week. We hope that everyone in our community will take the time to honour our teachers for their dedication to providing us with the education we need.

The Haliburton Home and School, in co-operation with the Haliburton County Board of Education, is planning special activities during the week and we invite everyone to join us.

Jane Selbie,
President,
Haliburton Home & School
Association.

The wonder of crookery

crime. When you think about it, it's a wonder small-time crooks like the Manchester Gloucester haven't taken over the world. Just look at some of the professional aids modern technology provides for improved crime. Drug runners employ jet boats, helicopters—even ultralight aircraft to get their nefarious goodies past coast guard and border patrols. They deliver by night too, their pilots wearing special military night-vision goggles that allow them to literally see in the dark.

Drug runners employ jet boats, helicopters - even ultralight aircraft to get their nefarious goodies past coast guard and border patrols. They deliver by night too, their pilots wearing special military night vision goggles that allow them to literally see in the dark.

International terrorists have at their disposal state of the art incendiary materials and computerized detonating devices sophisticated enough to escape detection by the most professional explosives experts, be they electronic, canine or human.

Then of course there's the greatest single contribution to crime of the past ten years: the Glock 17, an Austrian made handgun that looks a lot like a .45 automatic except for one feature - it's made of plastic, which makes it ideal for smuggling past metal detectors.

Yep, with all the hardware advances of the past decade or so, you'd think low rent thugs would be running the joint. And they probably would, except

for one thing.

Dumbness.

Most criminals who come in this world are Five Star, Major League Dumb.

Take the case of Adolph Hitler Clark. Mister Clark is an 18 year old Jacksonville, Florida repeat offender currently facing a murder rap. Why did he choose a life of crime, the judge wondered. Because of his monicker. "After I learned who Hitler was," said Clark, "I decided people expected me to live up to his name."

A touching story which might have wrung a compassionate sentence from the presiding judge except that a copy of Clark's birth certificate was attached to his dossier. "Your name isn't Adolph Hitler Clark," said the judge, squinting. "It's Adolph Hilbert Clark."

"It is?" murmured Clark incredulously.

Then there's the story of 28 year old Torontonion Wayne John Kennedy, a man with a rap sheet just slightly shorter than the CN Tower, arrested on suspicion of robbing a branch of the Toronto-Dominion bank. One of the main pieces of evidence was the holdup note used in the robbery. It read: "This is a up."

Police asked Kennedy to write "This is a holdup." He responded by writing "This is a up" ten times.

I don't know how much time Adolph Hilbert Clark and Wayne John Kennedy are currently serving, but I hope authorities have set aside an evening or two for remedial reading and writing courses.

True power directions

by Edward Moll

I was looking at a map of Haliburton County. It was a survey edition so it had the grid lines of the lots and concessions drawn very neatly in the familiar rectangles, looking like so much tiling on a kitchen wall. The map was just a piece of paper with lines and squiggles and names of places on it. It wasn't the real thing. The real thing I've been driving around in, and I tell you, it bears no resemblance whatsoever to the lines on the paper. The paper doesn't tell you about the hills and valleys, about the streams and the rivers and banks that rise from them. The paper doesn't tell you what the horizon looks like some mornings when the hills look as if they were a giant rolling ocean of rock and tree, broken occasionally by a power line. And I thought to myself, how could anyone think that imposing a grid on this could make any difference?

The grid, of course is there for reference in order to establish ownership and zoning and regulatory systems. They represent a form of power that we claim we have over the irregular and inefficient vagaries of nature. Isn't that the way things always have been? Whether it is surveying lines on a county map, or the way the colonial powers carved Africa into manageable chunks without regard for the tribal lines and boundaries already established, or the way that for centuries the Christian church has bickered among itself dividing itself into manageable chunks of doctrine, the issue usually boils down to who is in power, and who has the right to exercise it. What is it that someone said: "The exercise of power is its own justification": I can do whatever I damn well please in my own house and nobody can tell me what to do, be it slapping my wife around, or merging with Molson's.

One of the scripture readings for the week of prayer for Christian Unity has to do with how Jesus sees the proper exercise of power. The story is simple enough: the day before the Jewish passover, Jesus shares a meal with the friends who have accompanied him for the last three or so years. While they are bickering over who is going to be first in the Kingdom of God (things never change, do they?) Jesus strips off his robe, ties a towel around his waist and proceeds to wash the dusty, dirty feet of the disciples. Peter objects, "This job should be done by a slave, my Lord!" Jesus replies that this is precisely the point: "You call me Teacher and Lord, and so I am. I solemnly tell you the truth that the servant is no greater than the lord. What I have done is to be an example to all of you. Happy are you if you do likewise."

So if the action of the lord is the service of a slave, and if the servant is no greater than the master, my friends, I believe we have some deep thinking and praying to do about power and how we use it. Christians have been notorious powerabusers, taking words of doctrine and beliefs about the Bible to shoehorn their way into the kingdom, to use them as an excuse to amputate themselves from the body of Christian believers. Worse still, we have used those doctrines and beliefs to justify the terrorism of the state, whether it was Nazi Germany, or South Africa, or Israel; to blind us to the realities of the terrorism in the home of beaten wives and abused children. In St. Paul's words "These things ought not to be!"

Imagine. True, earth-shaking, world transforming power is not found in the control of others, but by taking a towel, a basin of water, and washing the dust of the journey from your brother or sister's feet. The Master did so. Shall we not follow his example?



The new executive of the Haliburton County Agricultural Society has a busy year ahead as it prepares for the 125th anniversary of the Haliburton County Fair. The annual meeting was held at the Pine Ridge Resort last Wednesday when the new officers were elected. From the left seated are: Zetta Little, second vice; Allan Rice, first vice; Jacquie Chillman, treasurer; Wayne Cox, president and Joan Moore, secretary. In the back row are Jean Bowron, Arnold Cowen, Bess Cox, Don Grozelle, Joan Bunn, Verne Graham, Mary Cox, Michelle Maher, past president Mary Jane Irwin, and Marg Miller.

Teachers get one more crack at reversing smoking policy

Teachers who oppose the smoking ban in Haliburton County schools will have one more shot at reversing the school board's decision on this policy.

However, judging by the discussion at last Tuesday's board meeting their chances of success are slim.

Trustee LeRoy Eager told the board that a group of teachers from the high school are asking for an

audience with the board at the next regular meeting to present their case in favour of designated smoking areas for teachers. After a lengthy discussion on this request, the board finally agreed to allow the group to speak for a limited time period at the next meeting of the Special Projects Committee. They will not be allowed to address the board as a whole.

Eager raised the matter

while reporting on a recent meeting of the secondary teachers liaison committee. He said non smokers have a guilty conscience about what they are doing to their co-workers. "Personally, I think we have to have a good hard look at that policy before it comes into full effect," he said.

Trustee Len Salvatori was one of the main opponents to the teachers' request to address the board.

"Where do we stop?" he asked. The board has already changed its mind on this matter several times, Salvatori said.

The board struggled to establish some form of no smoking rule for two years before it finally came to a vote. That vote was defeated, but after public pressure was applied a second vote was called and this time it was approved.

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"It gives me great pleasure to announce that the roadway between the Municipal Building, playground and parking lot and the Fire and Ambulance Halls in Minden be named Pritchard Lane," Current Deputy Reeve Berry said. He made the announcement on behalf of council during last Thursday's meeting.

The street naming honours the contributions made to the community by the late Lawrence Pritchard and his son Doug.

Lawrence served on council from 1945 to 1964. He was a councillor, deputy reeve and reeve during his political career. He was also a Haliburton County Warden.

Following in his father's footsteps, Doug was a councillor and deputy reeve on Minden council

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Former Anson, Hindon and Minden Deputy Reeve Doug Pritchard, centre, gets a look at one of the signs that will appear on the street named in his honour. With Pritchard are Deputy Reeve Bern Berry and Reeve Ray Moore.

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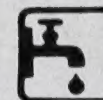
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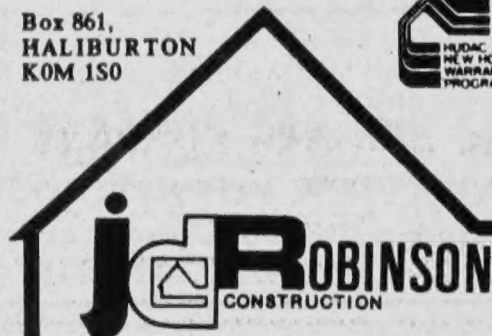
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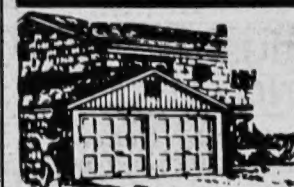
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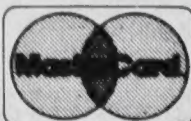
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Atoms take bronze in Woodville tournament

By Corinne Howell

Minden's Tri-County Atom hockey team travelled to Woodville on Saturday for their first tournament of the season and came away with the bronze medal.

Their first game was to be against the host town which ended in a 4-2 win for Woodville.

Minden went on to play Beaverton in what was to be a very exciting game.

Although Minden beat

Beaverton 3-1, Beaverton had accumulated enough points from their first game of the tournament to advance to the final while Minden went on to play Little Britain in the consolation round.

Little Britain against Minden turned into the best match of the three with Minden scoring the first few seconds of the game. This goal was earned by Andrew Crego, assisted by Todd Redgrave.

The game stayed at 1-0 until the third period when Minden scored their second goal by Benji Crego, assisted again by Todd Redgrave.

Minden tried to hold the shutout for goalie Terry

King, but Little Britain scored in the last seven seconds, leaving the score at 2-1 for Minden and giving them the bronze medal.

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One point seperates top teams with final games slated for tonight

It all comes down to tonight's final games to determine which team will finish at the top of the standings in the Minden Men's Recreational Hockey League.

After 13 weeks of play, only one point separates the Rockcliffe Tavern team from Halls Insurance. And depending on the results of tonight's games it's possible the Rockcliffe could be knocked off the throne it has controlled for most of the season.

The Rockcliffe had to win its game against Hartwick Construction last Monday in order to clinch first place. However, the best they could do against their rising opponents was a tie. This was enough to keep them in first place for the time being, but not enough to seal it up. They still have to win or tie when they play Home Hardware tonight.

Halls, of course, will be rooting for Home. But that's not enough. They first have to win their own game and that is not going to be easy, considering they have to play the strong Hartwick club.

The only sure placing in the standings at this point are held by Home and Vasey Real Estate. Home has locked up third place while Vasey is buried in the basement. Hartwick and The Times are fighting it out for fourth and fifth spot with only one point between them.

HOME 8, TIMES 6

In the opening game last Monday at the Minden arena, Home outpointed The Times to eliminate any challenge for their third-place standing.

The Standings

	W	L	T	GF	GA	P
Rockcliffe	9	3	1	122	87	19
Halls	9	4	0	121		18
Home	7	6	0	81	90	14
Times	6	7	0	97	118	12
Hartwick	5	7	0	97	118	12
Vasey	2	11	0	76	110	4

Most of the damage was done in the first period when Home scored four goals to The Times' two. From there on out the teams matched each other goal for goal with Home finishing ahead of the 8-6 score.

Dave Rogers scored three times for the winners. Lawrence Lougheed added two goals while singles came from the sticks of Barry Ward, Gary Nelson and Yvon Gravel.

Ben Manuge was the top scorer for the losers, slipping three into the net. Greg Newell, John Ballantyne and Craig Crowe each scored one.

HALLS 12, VASEY 10

Two late goals by Brian Shaw saved the game for Halls in the second contest of the night when they were met with surprising strength from Vasey.

It was hardly an easy win for Halls, in spite of the commanding lead they accumulated in the first two

periods. Before the first period was over, Halls had a 5-1 lead. That turned into a 9-4 lead after two. But the lead evaporated in the final frame, and late in the game it was all tied up at 10-10.

That was when Shaw came up with two more goals, bringing his total for the night up to five. Dave Hartwick and Larry Sawyer each racked up three goals in this match while Dave Dollo scored one.

Ivan Ingram and Dennis McKee each notched hat-tricks for Vasey while Harold Cowen and Marshal Robinson scored two each.

The final game of the night was the closest this season. Hartwick and Rockcliffe battled it out for three periods, racking up the first tie of the season.

The game has to be a disappointment for the Rockcliffe team, which had hoped to seal the best playoff position with a win. It should be a bit of a moral victory for Hartwick, though, proving they can match any team in the league.

Sid MacKeigan was the top goal scorer in the game, racking up four goals for Hartwick. Teammates Jim Keetch, Andy Campbell and Carl Northey added one each.

Scott Hamilton scored twice for the Rockcliffe while Dean Hewitt, Tom Haley, Scott Gartshore, Norman Barry and Barry Boice each scored one.

Tonight's games are the final three of the season before playoffs begin. At 7 p.m. Halls meets Hartwick. At 8:30 p.m. Home plays the Rockcliffe. And at 10 p.m. The Times takes on Vasey.

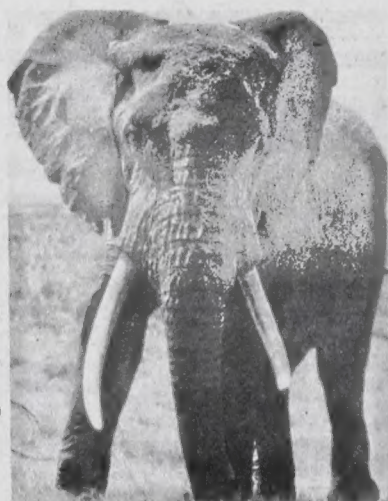
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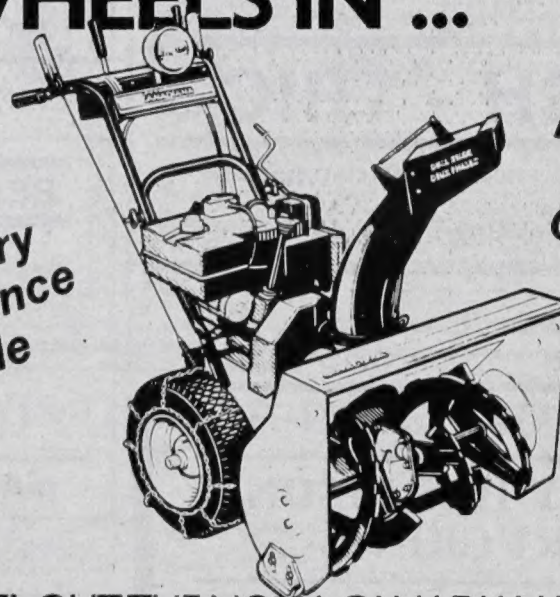


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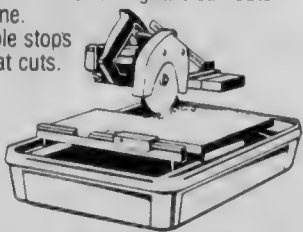
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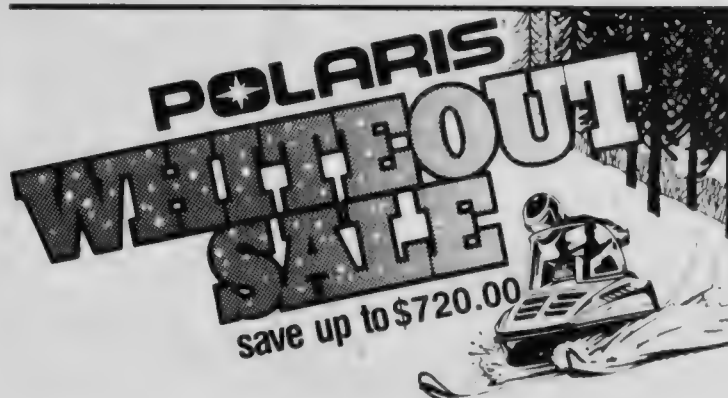
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Tension was high and the mood was set. From the first drop of the puck it was a see-saw game, only to have the final score tied at two.

Haliburton opened the scoring with a goal by Matthew Billings in the first

period, giving them the edge. The rest of the period remained quiet, and not until the second period did Minden's Gavin Gartshore take over and slap one in past an unsuspecting goalie.

Haliburton, determined as ever, came back when Ian Clements slipped one in on Shane Flood towards the end of the second. Gartshore waited until the third period to put the tying goal between the pipes and

finish the game giving Minden their first tie of the season.

Sunday January 21 found us down in Fenelon Falls for a league game after winning the tournament trophy there the preceeding week. The boys were ready for this one and put forth an encouraging effort to maintain their present standing.

Chuck Hopkins opened the game at the 1:06 mark

of the first period only to be answered by a Fenelon goal 16 seconds later.

With the adrenalin flowing and preliminaries out of the way, Minden started to move out. Gavin Gartshore slapped one in at the 1:42 mark off the stick of Cameron Neville. And at the 7:20 mark, B.J. Redner, assisted by Neville and Chris Little, did it again.

There was lots of action in the first period and with

a change of ends, we were ready for the second. Hopkins chalked another one up in this period and Redner closed it with the final goal of the game assisted by Neville. The final score was 5-1.

In case you didn't save the schedule posted in last week's paper, the next game is on Saturday February 4 at noon in Ops. They will play again that Sunday in Fenelon at 5:30 p.m.

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It's the in-between time for the birds

by Marion Strebig
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At this point in the winter we're at an in-between time for birds. Some birds, lulled by a generally mild winter so far, have lingered, like the small flock of robins I came across feeding on dried berries in a protected ravine. On the other hand, wanderers from the north, like the redpolls and siskins, have not yet appeared in any numbers.

With this in mind a group of us went out last weekend to see what we could find. We were hoping to see some owls, and we did. We found that retiring owl of the deep woods, the Long-eared

Owl. Because it is exclusively nocturnal and roosts quietly during the day in dense foliage near the trunk, this owl is not commonly seen except during the winter. In that season it moves south and may gather in large flocks in woodlots. We spotted the first Long-eared Owls in a woodlot which had been extensively reforested with white pine. It was comparatively easy to spot, perched in the open on a slender pine branch.

Because owls cannot rotate their eyes, nature has compensated by making the eyes extremely large and providing extra neck vertebrae so that the owl can perform what looks like a 360 degree head swivel. This owl fixed

us with its eyes, watching us watch it. Its chestnut facial discs with buff slashes next to the eyes accentuated the size of its eyes. As we watched, it seemed to lengthen as though someone were pulling on the top of its head with an invisible string. Aside from this it was still.

The second owl was much harder to find. It was behaving the way Long-eared Owls are supposed to, tucking itself in by the main trunk. Perched on a snag, it became part of the snag by leaning out.

For some time we watched them from a respectful distance through our binoculars. Then someone moved forward suddenly and the smaller owl lifted on

soundless wings and circled off into the woods. The other owl followed a few minutes later. These owls are particularly high-strung and easily spooked, so if you find one give it some room.

There were no other species of owls for us that day, not even a Great Horned Owl. But the woods were criss-crossed by the tracks of Ruffed Grouse. Chickadees hung from the branches over our heads feeding and keeping up a companionable lisp. Blue Jays scolded from a distance, and a Brown Creeper searched the tree bark methodically for signs of life. An emphatic "pik" alerted us to the presence of a Downy Woodpecker, a scaled down version both in size

and a volume of the Hairy Woodpecker.

Along the side roads the little kestrel and the Red-tailed Hawk were active. Actually the Red-tailed Hawks were only perching on a variety of perches. One was using the top of a billboard as a perch from which to scan open country for prey. The kestrels were more actively engaged in hunting, hovering and dropping into the snow. I actually saw a kestrel flying with a mouse dangling from one foot.

Oddly absent from perches in the open country were Snowy Owls. Ulrich Watermann, a professional falconer who is commissioned to keep Pearson International

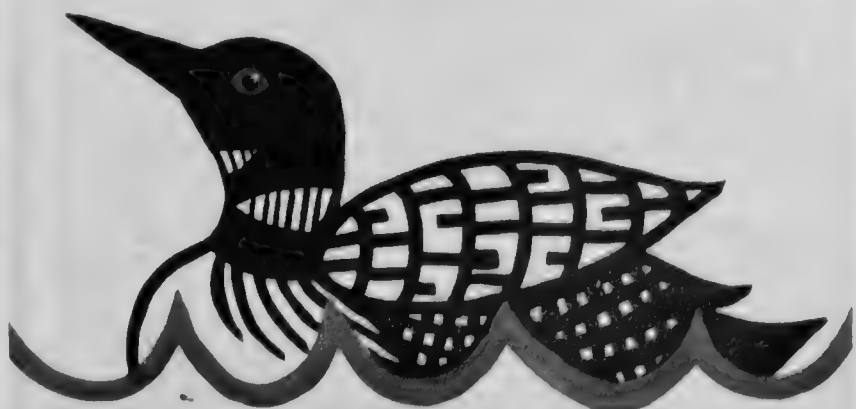
Airport free of birds, reports that he has only trapped 2 Snowy Owls so far this season. Most years by this time he would have taken a dozen. Ulrich traps the owls in German goshawk traps set on short poles. These are clam-shaped nets with a trigger. Unlike leghold or body-gripping traps, these capture the birds unharmed so that they can be released again well away from the airport.

Although we were disappointed by the absence of some species we had hoped to see, it was fun to see the Long-eared Owls. And the winter is still young. Some of the other northern wanderers may yet appear.

Bringing the walls to life



Anyone travelling past the elementary school on the Bobcaygeon Road in Minden at night will have noticed the huge wall mural through the windows. The murals were painted by Mary Wallace, whose talent with the brush and paint is matched by her skills with the written word. Last week Wallace was in Mrs. Welch's kindergarten class to give a reading from a children's book she is writing and illustrating. The story is about how damage to the environment can hurt or even kill loons. It's clear that Wallace has a special love for loons; one of the murals in Mrs. Brezina's classroom is of a loon.



Hospital meeting is planned

Minden area residents will have an opportunity to find out what progress is being made regarding the Minden Hospital during a special public meeting on February 16.

Last summer a meeting was held at the legion and a committee was struck to investigate the potential for expanding hospital services in Minden. Little has been said about this topic since that time. However, this does not mean the issue has been dropped, says committee member Ken Walsh.

The initiative to meet hospital facility needs here has been taken with the formation of the committee. "It's been started, now we want to see it go further," he said.

There were about 50 people at the initial meeting last summer even though it was not really opened to the public. It is hoped that even more turn out to the Feb. 16 meeting at the Minden Community Centre. This will be an opportunity to find out what has been happening as well as to provide input into the process.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. Area medical personnel have been invited as well as the municipal council representatives from the area.



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What a lot of good fun!



It was smiles all 'round at the Kinmen Winter Carnival once again this year. Youngsters in particular, had a enjoyable time taking in the various activities and helping to make the fun happen. One young lady, upper left, flashes a smile after completing the obstacle course while another participant, above, has a problem with his partner. At the left, members of the Minden Canadian Girls In Training contingent, serve up steaming bowls of chili for hungry customers.

... and great competition!



This year's wrist wrestling competition, held in conjunction with the Kinsmen Winter Carnival, attracted 36 competitors in a variety of categories.

Winner of the ladies division was Sharlene Dennys of Minden. She defeated Michelle Nesbitt, also of Minden.

In the Men's lightweight section, Andrew Couche of Dunsford, defeated Craig Burk of Lochlin.

In the heavyweight section, Peter Natchuk of Toronto, seen on the right, at the left, defeated Jim Colman of Minden.



In the Novice Hockey Tournament, The Minden squad claimed the championship trophy with a 9-0 victory over Gravenhurst. The photo at the left is from one of the earlier tournament games with Minden taking on Wilberforce. The local team defeated the visitors in that match 4-3.

In the Tyke tournament, played at the same time, Bracebridge claimed the championship with a 4-3 victory over Haliburton. The win came following two goals by Bracebridge in the final minutes of the game.

Bantams have playoff success

The Minden Bantam Monarchs are having good success in playoff action with a recent win and tie in the round-robin play.

On Friday January 20, Minden travelled to Woodville, where they battled to a 2-2 tie after three very close periods of play. The next day they hosted Sunderland and blanked their opponents 3-0.

Friday's game against Woodville was a defensive

battle. The scoreboard remained unchanged throughout the first period and the teams fought to find the elusive openings. Woodville finally broke the stalemate at the end of the second period, but Minden tied it back up early in the third with a goal from Jason Scarlett, assisted by Rob Ackerblade and Jaime Dollo.

Dollo put the Monarchs into the lead for the first time in the game with a

goal at the 9:20 mark of the final period. Assists came from Mike Muli and Jason Scarlett.

Woodville really turned up the heat to even the game and they finally found the marker with less than six minutes left to go.

After the game, Coach Dave Dollo said he was especially pleased with the performance from his defensemen. He gave special mention to Mike Muli, Hunter

Obee and Kevin Buchanan for their fine efforts.

The January 21 game with Sunderland saw the Monarchs in winning form as they dealt their opponents a 3-0 loss. Except for the second period when all the scoring was done, this was a very close game. Rob Ackerblade, Oliver Greer and Jaime Dollo were the goal scorers while assists went to Jay Hughes and Paul Hewitt.

Acid Rain Report

The following report on precipitation events was recorded at the Ministry of Environment acid rain testing station in Dorset and compiled by Environment Canada.

This report covers the period of January 15 - January 20.

January 15 - 2 cm snow, 4.3 pH, from Michigan and southern Ontario.

January 16 - 7 cm snow, 4.8 pH, from Michigan and southern Ontario.

January 17 - 5 cm snow, 4.7 pH, from Indiana, Ohio and southern Ontario.

January 18 - 7 cm snow, 4.3 pH, from Ohio and southern Ontario.

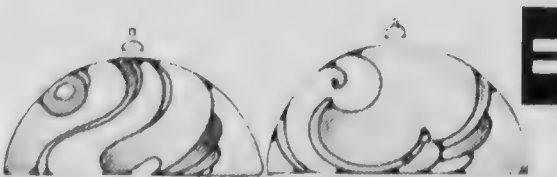
January 19 - 3 mm mixed snow and rain, 4.2 pH, from Kentucky, Ohio and southern Ontario.

January 20 - 1 cm snow, 4.3 pH, from central Ontario.

Environmental damage is usually observed in sensitive areas regularly receiving precipitation with pH less than 4.7. Reading of 4.0 pH or less is considered dangerous. The lower the reading, the more acidic the precipitation.

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Park birds are counted

The 15th annual Algonquin Provincial Park Christmas Bird Count (jointly sponsored by the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and The Friends of Algonquin Park) was held on Saturday, December 31, 1988. It was one of more than 1500 similar counts undertaken by over 41,000 observers during a two week period around Christmas throughout North America. This survey of early winter bird populations is organized by the National Audubon Society (U.S.A.).

Unlike most Christmas Bird Counts, the Algonquin Park survey is conducted mainly on foot, and in a natural environment. Forty-five observers, divided into 19 groups, walked a total of 137 miles searching for birds in the official 15-mile diameter count circle centred north of Whitefish Lake. A total of 3,223 individuals representing 27 species was

found. The average number of individual birds seen per hour by any one group of observers was only 23 - indicating that the woods are not "filled" with birds this winter.

The relatively low numbers of "winter finches" - those brightly coloured birds which frequently come down from the north to winter here on a diet of tree seeds and buds - contributed to the apparent scarcity of birds. (Residents of communities near Algonquin Park have reported lower numbers of birds at their feeders and picking up grit along roads, as well this winter.) Birds that were recorded on the Algonquin Park count in higher than normal numbers included Ruffed Grouse, Northern Goshawk (a grouse predator), Blue Jay, Black-capped Chickadee, and White-breasted Nuthatch.

At the end of the count day, most of the observers

and their families went to the Algonquin Park Museum to discuss over dinner the enjoyable experiences they had on a beautiful, sunny day in the woods. Everyone then gathered in the Museum Theatre to tally the day's list, and view slide programs on Australia and Trinidad. All that then remained was to give a sleepy greeting to the New Year at midnight!

The total list of species (with the number of individuals in brackets) was as follows: Northern Goshawk (4), Golden Eagle (1), Spruce Grouse (1), Ruffed Grouse (73), Barred Owl (5), Downy Woodpecker (22), Hairy Woodpecker (29), Black-backed Woodpecker (9), Pileated Woodpecker (5), Woodpecker, sp. (5), Gray Jay (64), Blue Jay (243), Common Raven (172), Black-capped Chickadee

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Pritchards are honoured

(from page 7)

between the years of 1971 and 1982.

Doug, who attended the meeting, thanked council for this honour. He noted that the property on which the road, municipal building and fire hall all sit was once owned by his family.

The family donated a part of the property to the township when it was building Minden's first arena on that site, he said.

Doug has also been a Haliburton Legion member for 42 years, holding many offices but best remembered as Poppy Chairman, said Berry. He

will soon joining the Minden branch of the Legion.

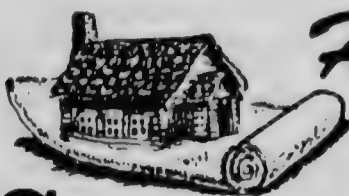
Berry and Reeve Ray Moore had one of the new street signs at the meeting to show to Doug. "It is the dedication of people like the Pritchards that makes our community a better place to live," Berry said.

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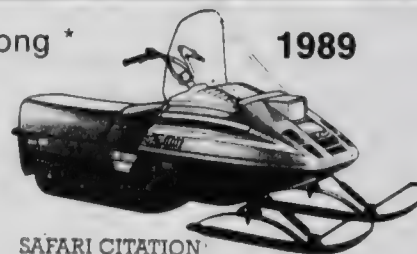
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The puck is just a blur as it is deflected over the net by the Bishop and Wilson goalie during the consolation championship of the Men's Recreational Hockey Tournament Saturday. Bishop and Wilson went on to win the game 5-3, while Halls Insurance claimed the championship title over Emmerson Lumber 4-1.

Halls win tournament

Halls Insurance of Minden won the championship title at the annual men's recreational tournament, held this year in Haliburton. They defeated Emmerson Lumber in the final game to take the title Saturday evening.

Halls defeated the hometown team 4-1.

The Times team from Minden claimed the consolation honours, defeating the Bishop and

The Haliburton team sponsored by Bishop and Wilson, defeated The Times to claim the consolation title prior to the final game of the day.

The tournament is an annual event with men's recreational teams from the two communities taking part. Each association takes turns hosting the event.

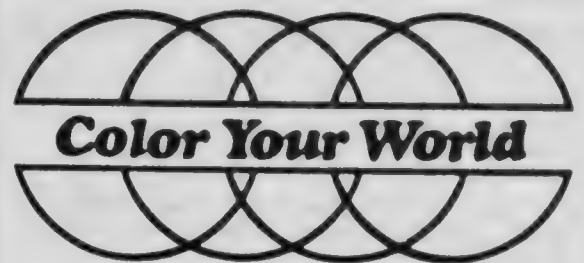
Ten teams took part in this year's event, which

started on Friday evening and concluded Saturday night.

In the opening round of play, Halls Insurance defeated Elstone Motors 5-3; Curry Motors downed Rockcliffe Tavern 9-4; Home Hardware (Minden) defeated Bishop and Wilson 3-2; Emmerson Lumber beat Hartwick Construction 5-1; and Haliburton Lumber trounced The Times 15-3.

In the championship play-offs: Halls defeated Curry's 6-2; Emmerson Lumber edged Home Hardware 5-4; and Emmerson Lumber snuck by Haliburton Lumber 3-2.

In the consolation play-downs: Bishop and Wilson took Elstone 8-3; The Times edged Hartwick 3-2; and The Times defeated Rockcliffe Tavern 6-5.



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6:00 Global News	6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune	7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Variety Tonight	7:30 Global Playhouse
8:00 Profiles Of Nature	8:00 Who's The Boss
8:30 Hockey - Toronto at Chicago	8:30 Growing Pains
11:00 Global News	
11:30 Sportsline	
12:00 New Family Feud	
12:30 David Letterman	
1:30 Bob Costas	

9:00 In The Heat Of The Night
10:00 Beauty & The Beast
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 New Family Feud
12:30 David Letterman
1:30 Bob Costas
2:00 On Trial
2:30 Maude
3:00 Night Moves
3:30 Night Ride
4:30 Night Walk

Wed., Feb. 1

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Global Playhouse
8:00 Growing Pains
8:30 My Two Dads
9:00 The Equalizer
10:00 Wiseguy
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 New Family Feud
12:30 David Letterman
1:30 Bob Costas
2:00 On Trial
2:30 Maude
3:00 Night Moves
3:30 Night Ride
4:30 Night Walk

Thurs., Feb. 2

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Dynasty
8:30 Wintario
9:00 Verdict
9:30 David Letterman
Anniversary Special
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 New Family Feud
12:30 David Letterman
1:30 Bob Costas
2:00 On Trial
2:30 Maude
3:00 Night Moves
3:30 Night Ride
4:30 Night Walk

Fri., Feb. 3

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 New Family Feud
8:00 TBA
9:00 Sun Country
9:30 Just The Ten Of Us
10:00 Miami Vice
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 New Family Feud
12:30 David Letterman
1:30 World Vision

Fri., Feb. 3

10:00 The National & The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Perry Mason
12:30 Honeymooners
1:00 Movie - Invisible Ray

Thurs., Feb. 2

6:00 Mary Tyler Moore
6:30 Kate & Allie
7:00 Perry Mason
8:00 Fifth Estate
9:00 Market Place
9:30 Man Alive
10:00 The Journal
11:00 Total News
11:30 Perry Mason
12:30 Honeymooners
1:00 Movie - Oddballs

Wed., Feb. 1

6:00 Mary Tyler Moore
6:30 Kate & Allie

6:00 Oopsy Daisy
6:30 Harrigan
7:00 100 Huntley Street
8:00 Third Story
8:30 Babar
9:00 Wonderstruck

Sat., Feb. 4

6:00 Oopsy Daisy
6:30 Harrigan
7:00 100 Huntley Street
8:00 Third Story
8:30 Babar
9:00 Wonderstruck

2:30 On Trial
3:00 Movie - Callaway Went Thataway
5:00 Night Moves
5:30 Night Ride

Sat., Feb. 4

6:00 Seneca Telecollege
6:30 Ewoks
7:00 Droids
7:30 The World Tomorrow
8:00 Real Ghostbusters
9:00 The Smurfs
10:00 Pee-wee's Playhouse
10:30 C.O.P.S.
11:00 My Pet Monster
11:30 Dennis The Menace
12:00 Kidsbeat
12:30 Hobby Garden
1:00 The Blue Rainbow
1:30 Adventures of Teddy Ruxpin
2:00 O.H.L. Hockey
5:00 Inspector Gadget
5:30 Scores Golf World
6:00 Global News
6:30 Focus Ontario
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 T and T
8:00 227
8:30 Big Sky Country

Monday, January 30 1989

9:00 Adderly
10:00 Assignment Adventure
11:00 Lottario
11:05 Global News
11:30 Saturday Night Live
1:00 Movie - Undercurrent
3:30 Night Moves
4:00 Night Ride
5:00 Night Walk

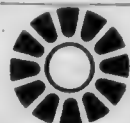
8:00 Murder, She Wrote
9:00 Diamonds
10:00 Earth Odyssey
11:00 The World Tonight
11:15 Sunday Sportsline
11:30 Global Newsweek
12:30 Movie - Julia
Misbehaves
2:30 Night Moves
3:00 Night Ride
4:00 Night Walk

Sun., Feb. 5

6:00 Hercules
6:30 Circle Square
7:00 Jimmy Swaggart
8:00 Hour Of Power
9:00 The World Tomorrow
10:00 Care Bears Family
10:30 C.O.P.S.
11:00 Dennis The Menace
11:30 Carrocel
Portuguese
12:30 Johnny Lombardi
2:00 Revival Hour
3:00 Terry Winter
3:30 Dr. J. W. White
4:00 World Vision
5:00 20/20
6:00 Global Newsweek
7:00 60 Minutes

Mon., Feb. 6

6:00 Global News
7:00 Wheel Of Fortune
7:30 Variety Tonight
8:00 TV 101
9:00 Columbo
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 New Family Feud
12:30 David Letterman
1:30 Bob Costas
2:00 On Trial
2:30 Maude
3:00 Night Moves
3:30 Night Ride
4:30 Night Walk



**channel 3
CKVR**

Mon., Jan. 30	Tues., Jan. 31
6:00 Mary Tyler Moore	6:00 Mary Tyler Moore
6:30 Kate & Allie	6:30 Kate & Allie
7:00 Empty Nest	7:00 Perry Mason
7:30 Danger Bay	8:00 Fifth Estate
8:00 Newhart	9:00 Market Place
8:30 Degraffi Jr. High	9:30 Man Alive
9:00 Thirty Something	10:00 The Journal
10:00 The National & The Journal	11:00 Total News
11:00 Total News	11:30 Perry Mason
11:30 Perry Mason	12:30 Honeymooners
12:30 Honeymooners	1:00 Movie - Oddballs
1:00 Movie - Final Assignment	
5:00 Heritage Today	

Wed., Feb. 1

6:00 Mary Tyler Moore
6:30 Kate & Allie

7:00 The Cosby Show
7:30 My Secret Identity
8:00 Katts & Dog
8:30 Learning The Ropes
9:00 Movie - Improper Channels
11:00 CTV National News
11:30 The Ontario Report
12:05 Movie - Oh God, You Devil

Sat., Feb. 4

6:00 Good Morning Workout
6:30 McGowan's World
7:00 George
7:30 Treehouse
8:00 Oopsy Daisy
8:30 The Rockets
9:00 Extra Extra
9:30 5-4-3-2-Run
10:00 Putnam's Prairie Emporium

10:30 Camp Cariboo
11:00 Swiss Family Robinson
11:30 Big Top Talent
12:00 Canada: In View
12:30 Challenge Journal
1:00 OV Stars of Hockey
2:00 Real Fishing
2:30 Along The Rail

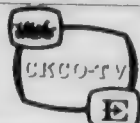
Sun., Feb. 5

6:00 Good Morning Workout
6:30 Joys Of Collecting
7:00 In Shape For Life
7:30 Agri-News
8:00 Sunday A.M.
10:00 People's Church
11:00 Church Service
12:00 Movie - Herbie Goes To Monte Carlo
2:00 Sunday Edition
3:00 World Alpine Ski Championships (Women's)
4:00 Question Period
4:30 Travel Magazine
5:00 Simon & Simon
6:00 Scan
6:30 Provincewide
7:00 Incredible Sunday
8:00 W5
9:00 Movie - The Lone

some Dove (Pt. 1 of 4)
11:00 CTV National News
11:30 The Ontario Report
12:05 Siskel & Ebert
12:35 Cheers
1:05 Too Close For Comfort
1:35 Gimme A Break

Mon., Feb. 6

6:00 Scan
7:00 Cosby Show
7:30 Live It Up
8:00 MacGyver
9:00 The Lonesome Dove
(Pt. 2 of 4)
11:00 CTV National News
11:30 The Ontario Report
12:05 Magnum P.I.
1:05 Simon & Simon
2:05 Matt Houston



**channel 11
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Mon., Jan. 30	Tues., Jan. 31
6:00 Scan	7:30 Last Frontier
7:00 Cosby Show	8:00 Matlock
7:30 Live It Up	10:00 Nightingales
8:00 The 18th Annual American Music Awards	11:00 CTV National News
11:00 CTV National News	11:30 The Ontario Report
11:30 The Ontario Report	12:05 Magnum P.I.
12:05 Magnum P.I.	1:05 Movie - Ravagers
1:05 Simon & Simon	
2:05 Matt Houston	

Wed., Feb. 1

6:00 Scan
7:00 The Cosby Show
7:30 Mission Impossible
8:30 Head of the Class
9:00 A Fine Romance
10:00 China Beach
11:00 CTV National News

11:30 The Ontario Report
12:05 Magnum P.I.
1:05 Movie - Rails Into Laramie

Thurs., Feb. 2

6:00 Scan
7:00 The Cosby Show
7:30 The Campbells
8:00 The Cosby Show
8:30 A Different World
9:00 Cheers

Fri., Feb. 3

6:00 Scan

NOTICE

The Minden Home Hardware and Building Supply Store will be

closed at noon

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

for WHMIS staff training.

We apologise for any inconvenience created by this change in schedule.



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channel 12 CHEX

Mon., Jan. 30	
6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Danger Bay
8:00	Newhart
8:30	Degrassi Jr. High
9:00	Thirty Something
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	Newhart
12:30	I Spy
1:30	Highway Patrol
Tues., Jan. 31	
6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Full House
8:00	Fifth Estate
9:00	Market Place
9:30	Man Alive
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	Newhart
12:00	Sgt. Bilko
12:30	I Spy
1:30	Highway Patrol
Wed., Feb. 1	
6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Empty Nest
8:00	Nature Of Things
9:00	Wonder Years
9:30	Hooperman
10:00	The National & The Journal
Thurs., Feb. 2	
6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Alf
8:00	Knots Landing
9:00	L.A. Law
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	Newhart
12:00	Sgt. Bilko
12:30	I Spy
1:30	Highway Patrol
Fri., Feb. 3	
6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Golden Girls
8:00	Street Legal
9:00	Dallas
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	Pilot 1
12:30	Movie - The Alamo
Sat., Feb. 4	
6:00	Silver Basketball
6:30	World Alive
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7:30	Circle Square

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7:30	Circle Square
Sun., Feb. 5	
6:00	Silver Basketball
6:30	Town & Country
7:00	Harrigan
7:30	George The Dog
8:00	Kenneth Copeland
9:00	Jimmy Swaggart
10:00	Day Of Discovery
10:30	Robert Schuller
11:30	World Tomorrow
12:00	Expect A Miracle
12:30	Let's Talk Real Estate
1:00	Country Canada
1:30	Hymn Sing
2:00	Oh The Road Again

2:30	Travel Show
3:00	Tommy Hunter
4:00	Weekend
4:30	Front Page Challenge
5:00	Best Sellers
5:30	Ski Base
6:00	Disney
7:00	Raccoons
7:30	Beachcombers
8:00	CBC Drama 9B
9:00	Struggle For Democracy
10:00	Sunday Report & Venture
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	Secret Of My Success
12:00	Sybervision
12:30	Canadian Small Business Institute
1:00	Highway Patrol
1:30	I Spy

Mon., Feb. 6

6:00	Newswatch
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Danger Bay
8:00	Newhart
8:30	Degrassi Jr. High
9:00	Golden Girls
9:30	Empty Nest
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Newswatch
11:30	The Pat Sajak Show
1:00	I Spy

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channel 13 TV Ontario

Mon., Jan. 30	
7:00	The Brain
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	The Adventures of the Little Prince
9:00	Jeremy
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong 2
9:30	Take A Look
9:40	Simon in the Land of Chalk Drawings
9:45	It Figures
10:00	Write On!
10:05	Parlez-moi
10:15	Eureka!
10:20	The Body Works
10:30	Storybound
10:45	It's Mainly Music
11:00	Origines: une histoire du Canada
11:30	Read All About It!
11:45	Readalong 2
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	Money\$worth
12:30	Pins and Needles
1:00	Arts Alive
1:15	The Short Story
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
1:50	Readalong 2
2:00	Read All About It!
2:15	You Can Write Anything!
2:30	Dear Aunt Agnes
3:00	The "Ontarians"
3:30	North of 60 degrees: Destiny Uncertain
4:00	Champ libre
4:30	Fitness over Forty
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
7:00	Profiles of Nature
7:30	The Science Edition
8:00	Vista
9:00	Mies
10:00	Origines: A History of Canada
10:30	ComputerWorks
11:00	Exercise & Health
11:30	Question Period - Provincial
12:30	Question Period - Federal
Tues., Jan. 31	
7:00	Understanding the Earth
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Fables of the Green Forest
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong 2
9:30	Write Stuff!
9:45	Read All About It!
10:00	Write On!
10:05	Parlez-moi
10:15	See, Hear!
10:20	The Body Works
10:30	MathMakers
10:45	Voyageurs
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Croque-science
11:25	La Chaine d'idees
11:30	Harriet's Magic Hats
11:45	Readalong 2
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	Hands Over Time
12:30	Bridge with Audrey Grant
1:00	Geography Skills
1:10	Like No Other Place
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Habitat
1:50	Readalong 2

2:00	Telefrancais
2:10	The Computer Room
2:15	Books from Cover to Cover
2:30	Three, Two, One... Contact
3:00	Chimie organique
4:00	Cote campus
4:30	Couchiching: Bio-technology: Blessing or Curse
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Today's Special
7:00	The Secret World of Polly Flint
7:30	The Last Horizon
8:00	The Life Revolution
9:00	Lizzie's Pictures
10:00	Authors at Harborfront
10:30	Moving Images 2
11:00	Airwaves
11:30	Question Period - Provincial
12:30	Question Period - Federal
Wed., Feb. 1	
7:00	The Middle East
7:30	Sociology
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Belle and Sebastian
9:00	Jeremy
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong 2
9:30	The Prince and the Pauper
10:00	Write On!
10:05	Parlez-moi
10:15	See, Hear!
10:20	The Body Works
10:30	Readit
10:45	It's Your World
11:00	Super Clique
11:15	Science, on tour!
11:30	Calling All Safety Scouts
11:45	Readalong 2
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	People Patterns
12:30	Pins and Needles
1:00	The Music Of Man
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Voyageurs
1:50	Readalong 2
2:00	Read All About It!
2:15	Art's Place
2:30	Today's Special
3:00	Wave-Particle Duality
4:00	Champ libre 2
4:30	Fish On!
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
7:00	Dear Aunt Agnes
7:30	Ourselfs and Other Animals
8:00	Couchiching: Bio-technology: Blessing or Curse?
8:30	Realities
9:00	Movie - Comeback
10:30	TBA
11:00	Realities
11:30	Question Period - Provincial
12:30	Question Period - Federal
Thurs., Feb. 1	
7:00	L'Alternative coop
7:30	Cote campus
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Fables of the Green Forest
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong 2
9:30	Telefrancais
9:40	Excursions
9:45	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:00	Write On!
10:05	Parlez-moi
10:15	See, Hear!
10:20	The Body Works
10:30	Jeremy
10:45	Voyageurs
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:05	Viens voir
11:15	Pri-maths
11:25	La Chaine d'idees
11:30	It's Mainly Music
11:45	Readalong 2
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	Realities
12:30	Bridge with Audrey Grant
1:00	Geography Skills
1:10	Like No Other Place
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	Take A Look
1:45	Simon in the Land of Chalk Drawings
1:50	Readalong 2
2:00	Write Stuff!
2:15	We Live Next Door
2:30	Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant show
3:00	Nuclear Physics
4:00	Le Gout d'agir
4:30	Questions of Choice

5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Today's Special
7:00	The Amateur Naturalist
7:30	Doctor Who
8:00	The Undefended Border
9:00	Speaking Out
10:30	The High-Tech Prescription
11:00	Realities
11:30	Question Period - Provincial
12:30	Question Period - Federal

Fri., Feb. 3

7:00	The Long Search
8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	The Adventures of The Little Prince
9:00	Jeremy
9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong 2
9:30	Habitat
9:45	Read All About It!
10:00	Write On!
10:05	Parlez-moi
10:15	See, Hear!
10:20	The Body Works
10:30	Let's All Sing
10:45	All About You
11:00	La Chaine d'idees
11:20	Le Bout des doigts
11:30	Take A Look
11:40	Simon in the Land of Chalk Drawings
11:45	Readalong 2
11:55	Report Canada
12:00	Realities
12:30	Pins and Needles
1:00	Spirit Bay
1:30	Report Canada
1:35	It Figures
1:50	Readalong 2
2:00	Art's Place
2:15	It's Your World
2:30	Tom Grattan's War
3:00	Electricity
4:00	Cuisine a la carte
4:30	Exercise and Health
5:00	Sesame Street
6:00	Polka Dot Door
6:30	Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
7:00	Discovery
8:00	Money\$worth
8:30	Yes, Prime Minister
9:00	Vista Presents
10:00	Lizzie's Pictures
11:00	Money\$worth
11:30	Question Period - Federal

Sun., Feb. 5

8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	The Adventures of the Little Prince
9:00	Sesame Street
10:00	Write Stuff!
10:15	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:30	The Secret World of Polly Flint
11:00	OWL/TV
11:30	KidsBeat
12:00	De fil en aiguille
12:30	Cote campus
1:00	L'Alternative coop
1:30	Champs libre 2
2:00	Reflexions sur le Moyen-Orient
3:00	Le Gout d'agir
3:30	Le Gout d'agir
4:00	Actualite pedagogique
4:30	Pot-pourri
5:00	C'est chouette!
5:30	Alexandre, Magalie et Compagnie
6:00	Passe-Partout
6:30	Charlie Brown
7:00	Les Terres humides
7:30	Science en images presente
8:00	Cine-Nostalgie
9:30	Transit 30-50
10:00	Pages d'histoire

Sat., Feb. 4

8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Cucumber
9:00	Money\$worth
9:30	Pins and Needles
10:00	Championship Bridge
10:30	Bridge with Audrey Grant
11:00	Exercise and Health
11:30	R-2000: The Better-

daytime viewing

5:00	2 Faith 20
5:30	2 Jimmy Swaggart
6:00	2 Seneca Telecollege
6:30	3 Total News
7:00	11 The Ontario Report
7:30	12 Newswatch
8:00	2 Size Small Island
8:30	3 Morning Exercise
9:00	11 Canada A.M.
9:30	12 Silver Basketball
10:00	2 Care Bears Family
10:30	3 100 Huntley Street
11:00	12 Harrigan
11:30	2 Real Ghostbusters
12:00	12 Jimmy Swaggart
12:30	2 Muppet Babies
1:00	3 You're Getting Better
1:30	12 Kidsbeat
2:00	2 Inspector Gadget
2:30	3 Good Company
3:00	12 Everyday Workout
3:30	2 Chain Reaction
4:00	3 Sesame Street
4:30	11 Romper Room
5:00	12 Talkabout
5:30	2 Jackpot
6:00	11 People To People
6:30	12 Kids of Degrassi Street
7:00	2 \$1,000,000 TV Bingo
7:30	3 Fred Penner's Place
8:00	11 Definition
8:30	12 Fred Penner's Place
9:00	3 Under The Umbrella Tree
9:30	12 Under The Umbrella Tree
10:00	2 100 Huntley Street
10:30	3 Mr. Dress Up
11:00	11 Classic Concentration
11:30	12 Mr. Dress Up
12:00	3 I Love Lucy
12:30	11 Morning Magazine
12:30	12 Sesame Street
1:00	2 Bumper Stumpers
1:30	3 Andy Griffith Show
2:00	11 Secret Lives
2:30	2 Global News
3:00	3 Leave It To Beaver
3:30	11 Noon Report
4:00	12 Newswatch
4:30	3 Total News
5:00	11 Super Password
5:30	12 Father Knows Best
6:00	2 Days Of Our Lives
6:30	3 All My Children
7:00	11 Lifetime
7:30	12 All My Children
8:00	2 Lingo
8:30	3 You're Getting Better
9:00	11 Another World
9:30	12 Middy
10:00	2 New Liars Club
10:30	3 Talkabout
11:00	2 Santa Barbara
11:30	3 Good Company
12:00	11 The Price Is Right
12:30	12 Guiding Light
1:00	2 Edison Twins
1:30	3 The Bold & The Beautiful
2:00	11 Gilligan's Island
2:30	12 Family T



While flames curl into the air behind him, a member of the Minden Fire Department helps to remove merchandise from the R. Hope Satellite business, Highway 35, south of Minden. The firemen attempted to save the contents of the structure while awaiting the return of the refilled tanker truck. The firemen, and volunteers, managed to save some items, but the lack of a constant supply of water allowed the flames to get an upper hand and destroy the business and attached home. The fire occurred early Sunday afternoon.

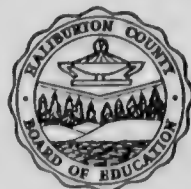
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Receptionist needed full time, to start as soon as possible, must have good communication skills, enjoy working with people, typing an asset.

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Haliburton County Board of Education

Tender - Addition and Alterations
to Haliburton Highlands

Secondary School, Haliburton

Tenders for Addition and Alterations to Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, Haliburton, Ontario will be received by Mr. S.W. Baker, Director of Education and Secretary, Haliburton County Board of Education, P.O. Box 507, Haliburton, Ontario KOM 1S0 until:

2:00 p.m. Thursday, February 16, 1989

Drawings and Specifications are available from the Architects upon deposit of \$100.00.

Drawings and Specifications will be on display at Barrie, Orillia, Toronto and Sudbury Builders Exchanges.

Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Critchley, Delean, Trussler & Evans,
Architects,
304 Worthington St. W.,
North Bay, Ontario
P1B 3B6

1550 Chickadees, 1 Snow Bunting

(from page 17)

(1,150), Boreal Chickadee (29), Red-breasted Nuthatch (202), White-breasted Nuthatch (93), Brown Creeper (38), Golden-crowned Kinglet (40), Northern Shrike (2),

Snow Bunting (1), Pine Grosbeak (4), Red Crossbill (3), White-winged Crossbill (656), Finch, sp. (3), Common Redpoll (2), Pine Siskin (15), American Goldfinch (64), and Evening Grosbeak (288).

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The Corporation of the Township
of Snowdon

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act and in the matter of a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Snowdon to stop up, close and convey that portion of the 66 foot original shore road allowance along the shore of South Lake in front of Part of Lot 5, Concession 14.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Chapter 302, Sec. 298 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Snowdon proposes to consider and if deemed advisable to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Gelert Community Hall, Gelert, Ontario, on Monday, February 13, 1989 at 7:30 p.m., a by-law to Stop Up, Close and Convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:

That part of the 66 foot Original Road Shore Allowance along the shore of South Lake, in front of Part of Lot 5, Concession 14 designated as the first and second parts of Instrument Number 132795 of Preliminary Reference Plan MC-162 in the Township of Snowdon, County of Haliburton, on a plan of survey prepared by C.T. Strongman, O.L.S., dated the 9th of September, 1988.

WHICH SAID PLAN OF SURVEY may be examined at the Municipal Office of the Township of Snowdon in Gelert, Ontario.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at its meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Council of the Township of Snowdon shall then and there hear in person, or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Snowdon this 6th day of January, 1989.

Ernest A. Hills,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Snowdon.

Blooming through the snow

Minden and District Horticulturalists emerge from their winter snooze! Yes, it's time to get up and going, there's planning and work to do.

Itchy fingers become anxious to get into the feeling of the good earth once more.

After scanning the seed catalogues, there comes that urge of planning and selecting what we will grow in our gardens this year. The sun becomes warmer and this all points to spring.

These days, itchy fingers

are busy transplanting African Violets and tending to other plants.

Over on the window sills are the results of the bulbs potted last fall. Out of the cold room and into the warmth of home, they have grown - and those beautiful daffodils, hyacinths and narcissus blooms now reward us for our efforts.

Then there's those house plants, they have certainly had tender loving care and have wintered well. And speaking of house plants. Reminds me of the Minden and District Horticulture

Annual Meeting. If you want to hear all about house plants, if you want to hear an excellent speaker - one who certainly knows what he's talking about, one who is very witty - come to this meeting.

Bert Card from Richmond Hill, who is Director of District 15 will be on hand to speak to us on house plants. He is very humorous and is full of hints and help. There's never a dull moment while Bert speaks. He is just

terrific! He is also proprietor of the "English Garden".

So folks be on hand at this annual meeting at the Catholic Church Hall, Tuesday, February 7 at 6:30 for a delicious pot luck dinner (you are asked to bring your own dishes and cutlery).

After a brief meeting, we will be treated to a great evening, listening to Bert Card, as he gives us all kinds of information with wit and fun - and in stitches! See you there!

College gets teaching grant

by Bill Scott, M.P.

Bill Scott is pleased to announce, on behalf of the Minister of Employment and Immigration, the approval on January 10, 1989 of a Job Development project in Haliburton.

Sir Sandford Fleming College, Haliburton Campus, will receive \$117,935 to prepare 10

participants for work in schools as teachers' assistants, in day care centres as assistants and in community child care and parent aide programs.

The Job Development Program, of the Canadian Jobs Strategy, is designed to make Canadians who have been unemployed for a long time, more employable, through a combination of work experience and skills training.



COMING SOON TO... MINDEN

HELP WANTED

Haliburton County Ambulance Service - Minden Base requires

PART-TIME AMBULANCE OFFICERS

Educational requirements: Current and subsisting standard First Aid Certificate; current and subsisting C.P.R. Certificate - Basic Rescuer level; Current and subsisting Ontario Class 'F' driver's licence.

Must be physically fit, willing to learn and able to do shift work. Resume advisable.

Contact: J.D. Thomas, Supervisor

ANNOUNCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT



Dale Austin Realty Inc. is pleased to announce the appointment of

LOU FISCHBACH

to the Minden office Sales Team.

Lou has lived in the county for the past two years, being co-owner of Cherokee Resort, Halls Lake. In the course of resort operations, she has met many prospects looking for cottages, homes, and tourist/commercial property in the area. If you are considering buying or selling, drop in at Cherokee Resort, Highway 35 North, Halls Lake, to discuss your real estate needs. If you would like to make an appointment, please call her at 489-2879 anytime or at the Austin Realty office, 286-4441.



NOTICE

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON & MINDEN

Requires that all dogs in the Township must be licensed as per By-law #84-36, and refrained from running at large as per By-law #78-15.

The Licenses may be obtained at the Municipal Office at a fee of \$10.00 per dog.

All dogs must be licenced by February 28, 1989 or charges may be laid.

Brad Bradamore
By-law Enforcement Officer

BOWES & COCKS LIMITED REALTOR



MINDEN 286-2381

BUTTERMILK FALLS SNACK BAR: Good Commercial Location. Drilled well, 2 - 100 amp hydro service. New holding tank installed \$99,000.00. Please contact Wes Kerr for further information at 286-2381 or 489-3416.

2 ACRE LOT: On east side of 25th line, Stanhope Township. Year round stream on back end of lot with rapids. Well on property. \$12,000.00. For further information please contact Jim Gilligan at 286-2381 or 286-1196.

IRONDALE RIVER LOT: 3.3 acres. Very private and nicely treed. For more information please call Leon Wright at 286-2381 or 286-3481.

WATERFRONT LOT: Off Canning Lake. 150' front age, gently sloping lot, subject to severance and rezoning - terms available. For further information please call Jim Gilligan at 286-2381 or 286-1196.

300 ACRES: Off Galway Road. Year round access. Two or three beaver ponds on property. Small cabin - perfect for hunting or just relaxing in peace and quiet. Listed at \$89,900.00. For more information contact Jessie Pflug at 286-2381 or 766-9502.

WHY PAY RENT? Cozy, comfortable home within walking distance to Gooderham. Two bedrooms. Glass in sun porch. Separate garage. Just \$59,900.00. To view call Jessie Pflug at 286-2381 or 766-9502.

VACATION/RETIREMENT/STARTER HOME: 1 bedroom home plus insulated bunkie on two acres. Vendor willing to hold mortgage. For more information please contact Debra Blanchard at 286-2381 or 754-3458.

25 ACRES: Year round road. Hydro and telephone available - survey - minutes from Minden. \$23,900.00. For more information please contact Debra Blanchard at 286-2381 or 754-3458.

EVENING TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Haliburton Salespersons

Blanche Bolander	457-2189	John Parish	457-2986
Stefan Bjelis	754-2091	Irene Roberts	457-2854
Peter Curry	457-1783	Carl Simms	754-2279
John Freeman	754-2241	Charlie Smith	457-3769
Denver Lewis	457-2088		

Minden Salespersons

Debra Blanchard	457-2425	Jessie Pflug	766-9502
Jim Gilligan	286-1196	Corinne Simms	754-2279
Doreen James	286-1248	Elgin Stouffer	489-2395
Leon Wright	286-3481	Wes Kerr	489-3416

Wilberforce Salespersons

Melanie Lewis	448-2246
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Hello Folks: So far winter has been changing its mind very quickly. One day looks like spring, the next very much like winter.

Thursday, January 12th, the Kinettes brought our tea party. At one time the weather was so bad we feared no one would get here. We had a lovely tea. Thanks for your real endeavor.

Stella Stinson had her son for a visit during the tea party, and Maisie McIntosh had some visitors then also. That night two Kinsmen came to call our Bingo and Marv Oliver won the most games.

Friday from 2 - 3 p.m. Mrs. Coleman conducted a bible study from Luke Chapter 3, followed by a quiz "Who am I" etc. We get a lot of fun and mental help from this.

January 13th - Robert Mitchell had his daughter from Newmarket, May Horsley had her daughter and husband, and Ina McGuire had her son Murray and wife in to visit. This certainly helps them pass the time.

I had my son Terry Barnum come for me at lunch time. He took me for

a drive to Haliburton. We had lunch at Cozy Korner, called on his wife Norma where she is employed and brought me home for dinner.

We had a card party presided over by two volunteers on Saturday.

We had two birthdays this week, January 15, Hazel Hoskins, and May Horsley January 17th. Happy Birthday. May was with her family for her birthday.

Chapel service was conducted by Rev. Burgess.

Lillian James had visitors

and Robert Mitchell went out for lunch. Saturday Pearl Lyle's daughter Anna was here for a visit and Friday Jean and George Hewitt were here. Maron Rose is home after quite a stay in the hospital. Mrs. Nancy Carefoot has returned home from the hospital after her surgery and recuperation. Glad to have you both home.

Grace Coburn had her daughter Caroline at her home for the weekend.

All our sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Daisy Sutherland who passed away this week.

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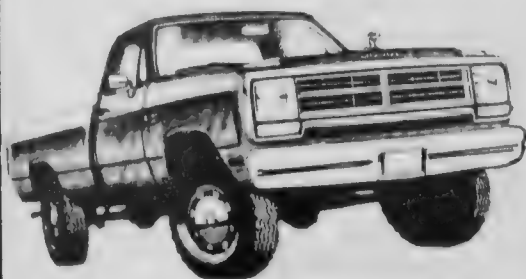
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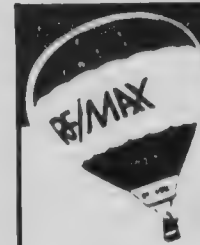
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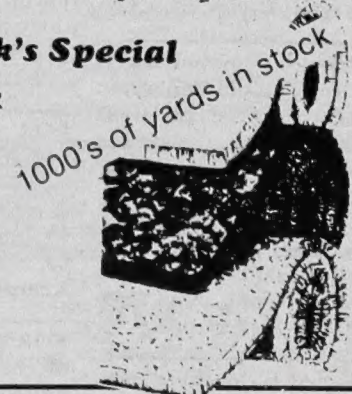
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Thank you to the Minden Hospital Staff and Tom and Marg Prentice for your continuing thoughtfulness.

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The family of the late Elmer Sawyer extends sincere thanks to Dr. Abrahamse, Dr. Good and Extendicare for professional care. Thanks to Reverend Moll for comforting words, to Kirk Hewitt for the appropriate and touching eulogy, and the Masonic Lodges for their beautiful service. To all those who sent floral arrangements, who gave memorial donations, to those who sent cards, telephone calls, food, and to all who visited our homes and the funeral parlours, and for all kind acts we are sincerely grateful. Thanks to the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home for their understanding and professionalism. Many thanks to the Miscio families for being such great neighbours, and special thanks to Wanda Reynolds who brought countless days of joy into Dad's life. "It is not sorrow that lasts forever; it is love."

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When trouble comes your soul to try,
You love the friend who just "stands by".
Perhaps there's nothing he can do.
The thing is strictly up to you;
For there are troubles all your own,
And paths the soul must tread alone
Times when love cannot smooth the road
Nor friendship lift the heavy load,
But just to know you have a friend
Who will "stand by" until the end,
Whose sympathy through all endures
Whose warm handclasp is always yours
It helps, somehow, to pull you through
Although there's nothing he can do.
And so with fervent heart you cry
"God bless the friend who just "stands by"."

The family of the late Chris Pritchard would like to thank all our friends and relatives for their love and support. Special thanks to Rev. John Phillips, Gord Monk and his staff and everyone who helped in any way to ease our loss.

Chris' family

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AT REST

SUTHERLAND Daisy Matilda

- peacefully at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home in Minden on Tuesday, January 17, 1989. Daisy Deyette formerly of Argyle and Lindsay in her 90th year. Beloved wife of the late George Sutherland. Dear mother of Mabel (Mrs. Eldon Deacon) of Minden, Pearl Bakalar of Scarborough, Dorothy (Mrs. Elwyn Reid) of Mount Forest, Milo and his wife Jean Cowie of Bracebridge and Shirley (Mrs. Bert Ysinga) of Cobourg. Also Ethel (Mrs. Louis Marshall) and Cathryn both predeceased. Lovingly remembered by 25 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren. Dear sister of Edith Morrison of Beaverton and Pearl David of Scarborough. Also William, Henry, Charlie, George, Norman and Ethel Hurst, all predeceased. Sadly missed by many nieces, nephews and friends. The family received friends at the Mackey Funeral Home, Lindsay on Thursday from 2 - 4 and 7 - 9 p.m. Complete funeral service in the Chapel on Friday, January 20 at 1:30 p.m. Interment later at the Stone Church Cemetery, Beaverton. If desired memorial donations to the Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Bus Fund Minden would be appreciated.

IN MEMORIAM

LUKE: In loving memory of a dear husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather, J. Edward Luke, who passed away January 31, 1982.

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall
You had a kindly word for each
Then passed away beloved by all.
Our hearts still ache with sadness
Our secret tears still flow
What it meant to lose you dear one
No one will ever know.
When the days are sad and lonely
And everything goes wrong
We seem to hear you whisper
Cheer up and carry on.
Each time we see your picture
You seem to smile and say
Don't cry I'm only sleeping
We'll meet again some day
You are not forgotten, loved one
Nor will you ever be
As long as life and memory lasts
We will remember thee.

Lovingly remembered by wife Edith and family.

McPHAIL: In loving memory of a dear brother-in-law Roy McPhail, who passed away February 4, 1988.

What would we give to see his happy face and see his happy smile.
Life isn't the same without you since you have been gone.
Uncle Roy McPhail.
He is gone but not forgotten.

Always remembered by sister-in-law Mary McPhail and Hugh and Nina McPhail.

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